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LETTER DATED 14 AUGUST 1991 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government I have the honour to inform you that United States aircraft continue to violate Iraqi airspace, as follows:

1. United States air activity inside Iraqi airspace on 12/13 August 1991 amounted to nine sorties flown by three two-aircraft formations and three single aircraft at speeds of 600 to 900 kilometres per hour and at altitudes ranging from 6,000 to 7,000 metres.

2. Flights were centred over Mosul, Arbil, Dohuk and Amadiyah, for the purpose of observation and provocation.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Abdul Amir A. AL-ANBARI
Ambassador
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